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From: Hammonds, Lessie

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To: Dong, Randall Cc: Scott Elliott

Subject: Blue Casa Hearing

Hi Randall,

Regarding Blue Casa's hearing today:

The South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff ("ORS") has reviewed the Application of Blue Casa Telephone, LLC (the "Company") and believes that the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") granting the Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity requested is consistent with the public interest.

The ORS Audit and Telecommunications Departments reviewed the Company's application and filings to assess the Company's financial, technical and managerial resources. Based on these reviews, ORS has concluded that the Company possesses the resources needed to provide the services requested and that the Company's request for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity is consistent with the public interest. *See* S.C. Code § 58-9-280. ORS does not object to the Applicant's request of a partial waiver of the bond requirement. ORS does not intend to attend the hearing scheduled for July 1, 2019.

Thank you, Lessie

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